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REMARKS

In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement of March 14, 2003, Applicants hereby elect Invention IV, corresponding to Claims 46, 48-62, 64-74, 76 and 78-87, drawn to an LED with means for extracting light comprising reflector and/or contact layers of a specified composition or ordering. This election is being made without traverse, because Applicants agree that patentably distinct inventions are present in the present application. Moreover, Claims 47, 63, 75, 77 and 88 depend from an elected claim, so that they are allowable upon allowance of an elected claim. Claims 1-45 and 89-120 depend directly or indirectly from elected independent Claim 62, so that they are also in condition for allowance upon allowance of independent Claim 62. Finally, Claim 121 is indicated by the Examiner to be a linking claim, and dependent Claims 122 and 123 depend from linking Claim 121. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request examination and allowance of amended Claims 1-123.

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